

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Dave Bisbee is a native of Cresbard, South Dakota; and

Whereas, Dave was instilled with an immense appreciation for the outdoors and natural resources of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Dave has dedicated nearly 35 years to the engineering section of the Department of Game, Fish and Parks and is retiring as the longest serving member of the engineering section since its inception; and,

Whereas, Dave has participated in extensive land surveys from Battle Mountain in Fall River County to White Rock in Roberts County and many lake surveys as part of the Game, Fish and Parks' dredging program; and,

Whereas, Dave has gone through no fewer than three cycles of drought and flooding conditions in the state, requiring innumerable projects such as boat ramps, shoreline protection, access roads and structure repairs in response to those conditions; and,

Whereas, Dave has exemplified coordination, cooperation and communication skills in working with fellow employees, engineers and contractors to ensure sportsmen and recreationists in South Dakota receive the best possible product; and,

Whereas, Dave has contributed his knowledge and passion for the outdoors to the state of South Dakota by way of every project he has worked on and from which the public will benefit for years to come:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 8, 2005, as

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in South Dakota, and I join his family, colleagues and friends in wishing him a fulfilling, healthy, and happy retirement.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Five.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "M. Michael Rounds", written over a horizontal line.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Chris Nelson", written over a horizontal line.

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State